

**NEGRO HURLS ACID
IN WOMAN'S FACE**

Thugs and Thieves, in Pittsburg,
Continue Their Reign of Terror
Despite the Police.

OFFERS REWARD FOR SON'S ARREST

Alleged Female Assassin Dies Sudden-
ly While in Prison Cell With Her
Sister—Younger Girl Shot Own
Brother Because Latter Murdered
Leader of "Holy Rollers."

(By Associated Press.)
PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 17.—Thugs
and thieves continue depredations in
this city, and several assaults and a
large number of robberies occurred
throughout the city and vicinity to-
day. The police have been unable to
capture any persons directly impli-
cated in the outrages.

One of today's assaults was espe-
cially fiendish. Miss Jeanette Brown-
lee, of Braddock, Pa., was disfigured
for life by a negro highwayman, who
threw carbolic acid in her face.

Armed men are now searching
Braddock and Swissvale boroughs for
the negro and he is threatened with
lynching if captured. During the last
24 hours, more than twenty houses
were entered and ransacked in this
city.

Offers Reward for Son's Arrest.
The father of James Taylor, who
shot and killed Isaac Carter, a negro
at Duquesne, last Monday night, and
who has since escaped arrest, offered
a reward today of \$1,000 for the cap-
ture of his son.

"I want my son brought to justice
and I will give \$1,000 to the person
who captures him, or gives informa-
tion leading to his arrest," said Mr.
Taylor. "I will have to sell my prop-
erty to pay the reward, but I will wil-
lingly do so."

Young Taylor, who is white, shot
the negro during a quarrel.

Thaw Evidence All Ready.
Former Superintendent of Police
Roger O'Mara returned today from
what probably will be his last inter-
view with Harry K. Thaw, before
Thaw is placed on trial in New York,
December 1, for the killing of Stan-
ford White. O'Mara says Thaw's
health is good.

When asked if the evidence of
Pittsburgers had all been prepared,
O'Mara said it had been put in shape.
A large automobile containing the
11 members of the Washington and
Jefferson foot ball team was wrecked
tonight by a street car at Fifth ave-
nue and Wood street. No one was
killed.

Alleged Female Assassin Dies in Cell.
SEATTLE, WASH., Nov. 17.—Mrs.
Maud Greffield, held in jail as an ac-
complice in the murder of George Mit-
chell, in the Union station July 12,
died from heart trouble in her cell
last night. Esther Mitchell, who shot
her brother, was in the same bed with
Mrs. Greffield, when the latter was
stricken.

Maud Hurl Greffield was the wife
of "Joshua" Greffield, who was shot
by George Mitchell in the belief that
Greffield had maltreated his sister
Esther. Esther later shot her brother
George. She and Mrs. Greffield
were arrested for the crime, both
women confessing that they had done
it to avenge the death of "Joshua"
who was the head of a sect called
"Holy Rollers."

Negro Murders White Man.
CENTER, TEXAS, Nov. 17.—Ex-
citement prevails tonight as a result

**BATTLESHIP'S OFFICERS
ARE HELD BLAMELESS**

Judge Advocate General of Navy Has
No Recommendation Concern-
ing Collision.

An Associated Press dispatch from
Washington last night said:

"The judge advocate general of the
navy has concluded his review of the
proceedings of the naval board which
investigated the collision between the
battleship Virginia and the Old Do-
minion liner Monroe, in Hampton
Roads a fortnight ago. It is under-
stood that the board found that Cap-
tain Schroeder and the other officers
of the Virginia were blameless in the
matter, the navigation laws expressly
declaring that in a collision of this
kind the overtaking vessel is always
to blame. Therefore, no further pro-
ceedings were recommended."

Magruder Camp.
Magruder Camp, Confederate Vet-
erans, will hold its regular meeting
at the City Hall at 8 o'clock tomor-
row night. All veterans, sons of vet-
erans and daughters of veterans are
expected to attend.

of the killing of D. H. Paul this after-
noon by Dick Garrett, a negro, whom
Dr. Paul was deputized to arrest. Gar-
rett appeared on the streets armed
with a pistol.

Charged With Murdering Girl.
PERKIMER, N. Y., Nov. 17.—That
the dying cries of Grace Brown were
heard by a witness, who will be called
by the State in the trial of Chester E.
Gillette, charged with the murder of
his sweetheart at Moose Lake, was
to declaration of Attorney George H.
Ward, who made his opening speech
today.

Fifty Years for Horrible Crime.
ONAWA, IOWA, Nov. 17.—Judge
Oliver today sentenced Claude Fisher,
of Mableton, who pleaded guilty to
assaulting a young woman at that
place, on October 21, to fifty years'
imprisonment at hard labor.

Wedding Ends in Double Murder.
TAFT, I. T., Nov. 17.—George Sulli-
bell was killed and a negro wounded
by a man named Campbell in a
drug store here tonight.
Marion Campbell, who was the nephew
of his slayer, married Sullivan's
daughter today under compulsion and
there was enmity between the Camp-
bell and Sullivan families.

CONTRACTOR MONK ACQUITTED.
Not Guilty of Overworking Men at
Fort Monroe.

(By Associated Press.)
NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 17.—John
Monk, a government contractor, in-
dicted for alleged violation of the
eight hour law, while engaged on gov-
ernment wharf building work at Fort
Monroe, was acquitted in the federal
court today.

Judge Wadhill instructing the jury
said the facts were admitted and it
was simply for the jury to say whether
the law had been violated with
"intent."

TENEMENT DYNAMITED

Black Hand Society Agent Nearly
Wrecked the Structure.

TENENTS ESCAPE FROM HOUSE

Proprietor of a Store in the Building
Tells Police That He Has Received
Many Threatening Letters Demand-
ing Money.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Hundreds
of panes of glass were shattered, sev-
eral doors were blown from their
hinges and hundreds of persons clad on-
ly in night clothing rushed into the
streets in a panic today when a bomb
was exploded in the hallway of a ten-
ement house at 53 Stanton street.

That the perpetrator of the outrage
was an agent of the Black Hand So-
ciety is the theory of the police. They
also believe that Pietro Realmutto, an
Italian, who has a delicatessen store
on the ground floor of the Stanton
street house was the intended victim
of bomb.

Realmutto has told the police that
he has received numerous letters from
the Black Hand demanding money.

The tenement house is occupied by
eighteen families. The explosion shat-
tered every pane of glass in the house
and smashed scores of windows in ad-
jacent tenements.

The roar of the explosion aroused
the neighborhood and in a moment the
street was choked with struggling,
thinly clad men, women and children.
The police labored for nearly an hour
before they succeeded in getting back
to their homes.

**RAILROAD WINS SUIT
AGAINST TELEGRAPHERS**

Federal Judge, in Kentucky, Knocks
Out National Law as Being
Unconstitutional.

(By Associated Press.)
LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 17.—In the
United States Circuit Court today
Judge Evans sustained a demurrer
made by the Louisville and Nashville
Railroad Company in the case of the
Order of Railroad Telegraphers
against the railroad. The effect of
the decision is to throw the case out
of court.

The Order of Railroad Telegraphers
brought suit against the Louisville
and Nashville railroad for an injunc-
tion to keep the road from preventing
its employees from joining their union.
Judge Evans held that the action of
the railroad is not a crime and that
section 10 of the act of Congress on
June 1, 1896 is unconstitutional.

Boer Raider Captured.
(By Associated Press.)

CAPE TOWN, Nov. 17.—Ferreira,
the leader of the Boer raid from Ger-
man Southwest Africa, into the
Northern part of Cape Colony, and all
his followers were captured today by
Colonial forces.

**STANDARD OIL, HARD
HIT, ANSWERS BACK**

Board of Directors Informs the
Stockholders How Well the
Concern is Managed

"NO ADEQUATE REASON FOR SUIT"

Legal Organization of the Trust Will
Use Every Effort to Thwart the
Government in its Prosecution So
Asserts Open Letter to Holders of
the Combine's Securities.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The direc-
tors of the Standard Oil Company is-
sued a circular today, to the stock
holders of the company, saying that
the company's position is unassail-
able from both a legal and a moral
standpoint.

The directors declare themselves
confident that in the proceedings now
instituted the company's position will
be successfully maintained and vindic-
ated. The circular is as follows:

Federal Action Harsh.
"26 Broadway, New York, Novem-
ber 15, 1906.

"To the Share Holders of the Stand-
ard Oil Company:—

"Regarding the suit this day com-
menced in the United States Court,
at St. Louis, Mo., in which it is sought
to prevent the Standard Oil Company,
of New Jersey, from holding any
stocks of other companies, your direc-
tors are entirely convinced that the
company's position is unassailable
from both a legal and a moral stand-
point. We are confident that in the
proceedings, which will follow, the
company will successfully maintain its
position upon the merits and be vin-
dicated before the public and the law.

"While your directors feel that
there is no adequate reason for such
a suit, either in the organization, or
the conduct of the business, yet un-
der the circumstance it is perhaps
better for your interests and the busi-
ness interests of the country that the
controversy should be removed to the
judicial atmosphere of the courts in
whose integrity and wisdom every
citizen should have the fullest con-
fidence—where mere allegation must
give way to legal proof.

"The present organization was
formed after an exhaustive consid-
eration of the legal and business prob-
lem involved. It has existed unchal-
lenged for many years. Everything re-
lating to it has been a matter of pub-
lic report and at every step the ut-
most care has been observed to con-
duct the business honestly and fairly
and in accordance with, not only the
spirit, but the technical requirements
of the law.

Compared to Other Business.
"The legal organization of your
company is of essentially the same na-
ture and character as that of the oth-
er important industrial interests of
the country, and the continuous
growth and expansion of its business
have been legitimate and normal. It
is not to be lightly assumed that there
is to be a reversal of the wheels of

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BANK IS TWICE ROBBED

Bandits Set Fire to the Town to
Hide Their Crime.

BIG SUM OF MONEY TAKEN AWAY

Dynamite Used During Both Raids—
Six of the Best Buildings in the Lit-
tle Missouri Town Destroyed by the
Outlaws.

(By Associated Press.)
WALKER, MO., Nov. 17.—Robbers
here early today started a fire that de-
stroyed six of the best business build-
ings in Walker, the object being to
cover up the robbery of between
\$2,000 and \$3,000 belonging to the
Bank of Walker.

On Monday last, robbers wrecked
the safe of the bank with dynamite,
getting away with close to \$2,000 and
the bank officials were forced to place
in the safe of a neighboring store
what money was left.

Today's robbery is believed to have
been committed by the same men,
who dynamited the bank.

**YALE-PRINCETON GAME
ENDS IN SCORE; 0-0**

Dillon Fails to Make Good and
His Supporters are Dis-
appointed Over Result.

"PENNSY" BEATS MICHIGAN TEAM

Both Sides Put Up Fine Contest But
the Westerners Are Not in Same
Class as the Quakers—Midshipmen
Pile Up 38 Points Against the North
Carolina Kickers.

(By Associated Press.)
PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 17.—
Princeton and Yale today played a
nothing to nothing football game,
the first time in nearly twenty years
that neither eleven has scored.

The wearers of the orange and
black had confidently expected
to win as the Princeton team this fall
was of the best product and so hope-
ful were they of ultimate success that
odds of 5 to 3 were freely accepted
just prior to the game that Yale would
be defeated. But the Princeton eleven
of today was a disappointment, the
lightning like plays which the coaches
had been depending on to confound
the Yale boys were lacking.

Dillon a Fumbler.
E. Dillon, the wonderful little quar-
terback on whom such high hope had
been built, fumbled miserably. His
drooping of hands would have result-
ed disastrously to Princeton had it
not been for the fast work of Wister.
Princeton's left end, this player
was all over the field and his running
down under kicks was a little short
of marvelous.

There were numerous tries at for-
ward passes, delayed passes and on-
side passes, but in a majority of cases,
they went wrong.

Princeton lacked a diversity of at-
tack. She could not gain on fakes,
neither could she direct the Yale line
with any degree of success.

Yale, on the other hand, was able
to make consistent gains against
Princeton's line and it looked as
though the blue must surely have
scored a few minutes before the close
of the game had they stuck to straight
football instead of attempting fancy
plays. Near the finish Yale secured
the ball in Princeton's territory, near
the center of the field. Back line
smashing, in which Morse, Lynn and
Perkes made gains, Yale had the ball
in a few yards of Princeton's goal
line. A delayed pass was attempted,
a Yale man was off-side and what
looked like a possible touch down for
Yale, went for naught. Veeder at-
tempted several goals from the field,
but Harlan, who defeated West Point
by his field goals, did not get close
enough to a goal to try his usually
sure foot.

Several penalties were inflicted by
the officers, and each team suffered
alike in this respect. Time was taken
out twice because of injuries to
Princeton players, but Yale did not
ask for it in a single instance. Cap-
tain Dillon, of Princeton, was forced
to retire from the game, as was also

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THREE PERSONS BURNED

Leading Hotel, in the Great Cold
Camp of Idaho Destroyed.

ONE WOMAN AMONG THE VICTIMS

Place Crowded But all Except the
Three Dead and a Few Who Were
Injured Escaped—Property Loss
Valued at \$140,000.

(By Associated Press.)
GOLDFIELD, NEV., Nov. 17.—Three
persons perished in a fire which to-
day destroyed the Hotel Goldfield, the
leading hotel of the town.

The dead are:
Judge J. M. ELLIS, of Denver, Colo.,
mining operator and broker.

MRS. BOELLER, residence un-
known.

A. P. HEEBER, investment broker.
The hotel was crowded when the
fire started, but all of the 75 guests
except those named escaped.

C. S. Young of Los Angeles, broke
a leg in jumping and R. B. Woods,
of Spokane, Wash., and A. H. Krapf
were hurt in the same manner.

The property loss is \$140,000 with
insurance of \$30,000.

**METHODISTS TO MEET
NEXT IN PETERSBURG**

Bishop Hendrix Delivers an Interest-
ing Lecture to the Assembled
Delegates.

(Special to the Daily Press.)
PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 17.—
Bishop Hendrix lectured to the con-
ference this morning on the subject
of "Interrupted Friendship." He said
that there were few reasons for break-
ing off of friendship, but that honest
differences of opinion were always to
be commended and were the means
of drawing out that which was best
in man.

The passing of characters of minis-
ters was resumed, Petersburg district
being taken up. Reports from the pas-
tors of that district were in accord
with those of other districts, except
that the churches all gave liberally to
all conference collections.

The committee on entertainment
decided this forenoon to hold the
next session of the conference in Pet-
ersburg.

CRUISE BRINGS IN \$15,000.

Mate of Whaling Ship Lost in Battle
With a Whale.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Nov. 17.—
The whaling bark Andrew Hicks, ar-
rived from the North last night with
750 barrels of sperm oil, the product
of a catch of eighteen whales during
a cruise of nearly a year.

The value of the cargo is about
\$15,000. She reports the death of
First Mate Thomas Osgood, killed in
an encounter with a whale.

Guest Burned in Hotel Fire.

MAHANK, TEXAS, Nov. 17.—The
Mahank Hotel was destroyed by fire
last night. Abraham Mithall, of Dal-
las, a traveling salesman was cremat-
ed.

VICTIM OF ANARCHIST

Noted Italian Zoologist Stabbed to
Death by a Red.

GENERAL INDIGNATION IN NAPLES

Assassin Boasts of His Crime and
Says That His Only Regret is That
He Can Not Murder More Enemies
of His Red-Handed Society.

(By Associated Press.)
NAPLES, ITALY, Nov. 17.—An an-
archist named Lagana, who returned
here recently from Patterson, N. J., by
way of London, tonight stabbed and
killed the famous zoologist Giovanni
Rossi, of the University of Naples,
because Rossi in a recent lecture
condemned anarchist crimes as bar-
barous.

The murder has produced general
indignation as the victim was held in
high esteem. Lagana, after the
crime, boasted that he was glad he
committed the deed, and said, if he
were free he would begin again on
other enemies of anarchy, all of
whom already were condemned and
would be killed at the earliest mo-
ment it was possible to carry out the
plan arranged by the anarchist party.

**CARUSO KEEPS AWAY
FROM POLICE COURT**

Sends Word That He is Too Ill to An-
swer Woman's Complaint of
Assault.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Enrico Car-
uso, the famous tenor, who was ar-
rested in Central Park yesterday on
the complaint of a woman, who charged
that he had repeatedly insulted
her, did not appear when his name
was called in police court today. Nor
was Mrs. Hannah Graham, who pre-
ferred the charges against Caruso,
present in court.

As her address is fictitious
one, it is possible that the
complainant may never ap-
pear to press the charge unless she
goes to court voluntarily.

SWITCHMEN STRIKE.

Quit Work Because Yard Master Was
Discharged.

(By Associated Press.)
WAYCROSS, GA., Nov. 17.—All the
switchmen in the Atlantic Coast Line
railroad yards went on a strike to-
night and the railroad work here is at
a standstill. Freight trains coming in
over six roads are likely to block ev-
ery track in the city before morning.
The cause of the strike is said to be
the discharge today of the night yard
master.

Crosses Only for Veterans.
GULFPORT, MISS., Nov. 17.—The
United Daughters of the Confederacy
today decided that only Veterans are
entitled to wear crosses of honor and
that descendants may keep but not
wear them.

**NEW INSURANCE LAWS
WOULD STOP ABUSES**

Commission Finishes Its Work by
Formulating Acts to Regu-
late the Business.

ALL POLICIES TO BE UNIFORM

No More Contributions to Campaign
Funds if Recommendations are En-
acted Into Laws by the Several
States of the Union—Limit Put on
Salaries—Rebating Cut Out.

(By Associated Press.)
CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Members of
the Insurance Commission, who have
been in session for the last week
drafting projected laws for the con-
trol of life insurance throughout the
country, completed their work today
and adjourned.

Sixteen new laws have been
drawn up and it is believed if they
are adopted by the various States the
greater part of the abuses in the
management of life insurance compa-
nies will be done away with. These
laws will be introduced during next
winter into legislatures of thirty-
seven different States. T. E. Drake,
the insurance commissioner for the
District of Columbia, will submit the
proposed measures to President
Roosevelt, in order that they may
be mentioned in the forthcoming mes-
sage of the President to Congress.
The proposed new acts may be sum-
marized as follows:

Policies to Be Uniform.
A standard policy act which
provides six forms of uniform policies
for use by all life insurance compa-
nies.

An annual apportionment act which
requires life insurance companies
either to pay annual dividends or
credit the amount earned to the dif-
ferent policy-holders. The act also
provides for the surplus which the com-
panies are permitted to retain in
their treasuries.

An act prohibiting discrimination
and rebating between agents and
policy-holders.

An act prohibiting corporations
from acting as agents of life insur-
ance companies.

Regulates Elections.
An act regulating the election of
directors of mutual life insurance
companies.

An act prohibiting the publishing
of estimates and illustrations which
misrepresent the terms of any policy,
or the benefits or advantages prom-
ised thereby.

An act prohibiting life insurance
companies from making any kind of
a political contribution.

An act forbidding insurance com-
panies from expending more than
\$5,000 for any specified purpose with-
out the consent of the board of di-
rectors.

Limit Put on Salaries.

An act prohibiting life insurance
companies from paying any officer a
salary in excess of \$50,000 annually.

An act regulating the investment
of life insurance companies' funds.

An act making the policy the con-
tract between the interested parties.

An act defending the status of the
persons who solicit life insurance.

An act prohibiting life insurance
companies from issuing participating
and non-participating policies.

An act regulating the disbursement
of life insurance companies' funds.

An act regulating the retirement
of capital stock of life insurance
companies.

**SEVENTEEN PASSENGERS
HURT IN TRAIN WRECK**

Broken Rail Causes a Disaster on the
Atlantic Coast Line—No One
Fatally Injured.

(By Associated Press.)
WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 17.—
An Atlantic Coast Line passenger
and mail train leaving Wilmington
for Charleston at six o'clock this
morning was wrecked at Leland,
seven miles from Wilmington by a
broken rail. Seventeen passengers
were injured, none seriously.

A list of the injured is as fol-
lows:
Captain Landon, C. Jones, Gordon
Cattle, John Hill Bunting, H. B. Hen-
derson, J. H. Dinglehoff, O. R.
Speight, E. Korenau, B. J. Apple-
white and C. Morris all of this city.
W. T. Aycock, P. P. Sears, of Walle-
ville; J. Youngblood, Atlanta; W. H.
Elliot, residence unknown; J. A.
Meber, Greensboro, N. C.; B. L.
Stallings, Columbia, S. C.; Norwood
Speer, Goldsboro, N. C.; and G. O.
A. Payne, of Chicago, Ill., all slightly
injured, their wounds consisting of
cuts, sprains and bruises.